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Fire Department Meeting Called

Stranger Admits Cutting Throat In Attempt At Suicide

Vandals Shoot Up Tires And Otherwise Damage Autos

HOWARD MEEK ATTEMPTED LIFE WITH A KNIFE

Man Found Near El Verano Bleeding Profusely First Declared He Was Attacked.

Howard Meek, registered at a valley resort and who claims San Francisco as his home, was found on the highway near El Verano one night this week with a bleeding gash in his throat and was hurriedly brought to the office of Dr. Thomson for treatment. When picked up by Deputy Sheriff Ryan, the injured man declared he had been lured to the vicinity of the golf links and attacked by two strangers, but after investigation and examination which seemed to indicate that the wounds had been self-inflicted, Meek admitted he had cut himself. In addition to the six inch gash from his ear to the center of the throat, the man suffered a deep wound on the arm and gashes on his leg. Dr. Thomson being absent, a hurried call was sent for Dr. McGrath, who took several stitches in Meek's neck, after which the patient was removed to the county hospital at Santa Rosa.

Following the occurrence Sheriff Boyes had a communication from San Francisco from a man giving the name of George Meyer, who inquired if Meek had committed suicide here. It appears that he had written a letter to Meyer threatening self-destruction.

The would-be suicide was a tall young man about 26 years of age and is said to be suffering from shell-shock.

SONOMANS ON JURY IN POLICE BRIBE CASE

Two Men and One Woman From Sonoma Valley Qualify In Trial of Mays at Santa Rosa.

Many prominent Sonoma Valley people were called to Santa Rosa this week on the venire of trial jurors for the police bribe case in which Officer Mays of the Santa Rosa force accused of accepting a bribe from a colored woman for vice protection. Those who qualified from here and listened to the evidence were Mrs. Lavonia Lowell, wife of Supervisor F. A. Lowell; E. T. Casson and Louis Martin of Vineburg.

Santa Rosa papers report the trial as follows:

The twelfth juror in the trial of Jack Mays, former police officer charged with receiving a bribe, was accepted shortly before 3 o'clock on Tuesday afternoon after the original venire of 40 prospective jurors had

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START WORK ON GLEN ELLEN BRIDGE

The construction of the new concrete bridge over Sonoma Creek near Glen Ellen at the point where the old bridge collapsed has been started by Contractor Cogo. The work will be put througgh as fast as possible and Cogo promises a nice job.

Gobbler Tells All The World That He Can

A well known poultry raiser, a member of the Farm Center and agricultural authority, vouches for the story that one of her turkey gobblers went to setting, took over a nest of 18 turkey eggs and set on 'em 28 days. He all but hatched the brood, although somewhat disconcerted when the little turkeys began to break through the shells. Full-fledged poults were his ambition and Mr. Gobbler did not quite like the idea of the birds breaking into society sort of wet and be-draggled, so he fussed and scrambled the nest until some of the newly hatched died and a rat finished the rest. Disconsolate at the loss of his promised flock, some orphan turkeys were given the fatherly gobbler and he mothered them nicely. "The turkeys brought up by the gobbler are the pride of my flock," declares the owner of this twentieth century gobbler.

WILL BE UNITED AT CHURCH WEDDING

Miss Edna Jensen, Former Sonoma High School Teacher, Weds Harry Burmester Tomorrow In Berkeley.

St. Mark's Trinity church, at the corner of Bancroft Way and Ellsworth street, Berkeley, will be the scene of a simple, but beautiful marriage ceremony tomorrow at high noon when Miss Edna Jensen will become the bride of Harry Burmester. The bride will wear white georgette and lace over satin, with veil and orange blossoms. Her bouquet will be lillies of the valley and white roses. The maid of honor, Miss Edith DuRivage, will wear maize color satin with head-dress of gold leaves and she will carry a bouquet of tea roses. Mrs. Jensen, mother of the bride, will be gowned in black satin and Mrs. Burmester, the groom's mother, will wear a costume of mode colored georgette and velvet.

A wedding breakfast at Enun's in Berkeley, will follow the ceremony, after which bride and groom will leave on a motor camping trip to the Feather River country.

TENT SHOW DRAMAS PLEASE LOCAL PEOPLE

The Jennings Tent Theatre Company has been presenting a number of clever plays in Sonoma this week and has made a decided hit with lovers of good comedy and drama. Last night "Just Married" drew a big crowd and tonight and tomorrow nights other clever plays will be presented.

The actors and actresses are talented, the costuming above the average of small traveling companies and the management aims to please.

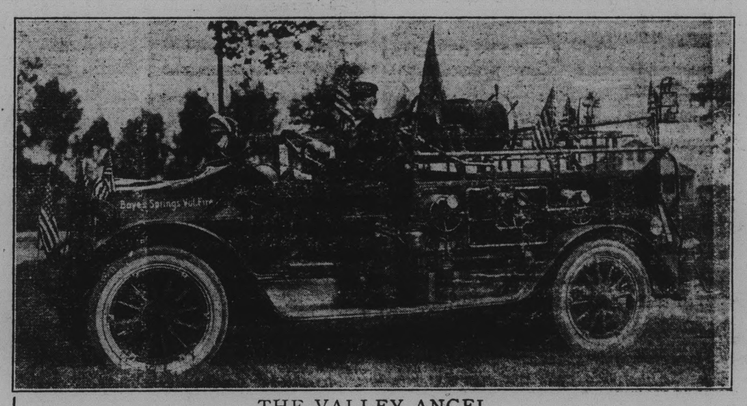
Miss Louise Larsen and Miss Kiser are contending for the diamond ring which is given away by the company on Sunday night.

New Chief of Boyes Springs and Valley Fire Department to Be Named; Plan Dance

Confronted with the necessity of paying the American La-France Fire Engine Company a balance of $1000 and interest due on the three tank chemical engine, "Valley Angel", the people of Sonoma Valley who have an equity in the fire engine of something like $3000, are urged to attend a mass meeting at the Sonoma Vista Club house next Wednesday evening, August 20th, at 8 o'clock to discuss ways and means of meeting the indebtedness, and to elect a new fire chief as successor to the late W. B. Cause, and to completely re-organize the department. J. W. Minges, who has been the loyal president for several years past and was one of the guarantors of the note whereby the fire engine was purchased, will retire. On the note with Mr. Minges were Messrs. Blomgren and Darling, and the late Chief Cause. Mr. Minges expresses his intention to co-operate in any way possible to aid the valley to keep the engine and meet the debt on it, but believes he has served long enough and so wishes to be relieved of his duties as president.

Acting Chief Walter Stuermer, who already has a splendid record for efficiency and is keenly interested in the fire department, will undoubtedly be elected chief of the re-organized department. Mr. Stuermer declares that he stands ready to give aid at any time, not only in an emergency, but where he can be of assistance in burning off grass and helping to prevent fires. He believes that the indebtedness on the engine can easily be taken care of and has found people both liberal and willing to aid the fire department. Chief Stuermer, an overseas war veteran, is a young man of courage, cool judgment and enthusiasm, and should

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THE VALLEY ANGEL

Celebrate New Highway Opening September 6-7

Plans for the celebration of the opening of Sonoma Valley's new state highway, another unit of which was cleared off for traffic this week, were launched at a spirited meeting last Tuesday night at Boyes Springs. Chairman Harvey Toy of the State Highway Commission is in accord with the plan which includes a welcome to the Valley of the Moon on the evening of September 6th, when state officials, congressional representatives, mayors of nearby cities, Chambers of Commerce secretaries, county officials, transportation men and others will be formally invited to come to Sonoma Valley over our new highway, join in a grand free ball at Coney Island where they will be given a public reception by the people of this section, and otherwise entertained.

Sunday, September 7th, it is planned to entertain the official party at a barbecue at the Valley of the Moon Golf and Country Club.

The two-day entertainment in honor of the new highway heralded to the outside world will give Sonoma Valley deserved publicity as to the new road with its paved 20 foot approach to Sonoma City and 24-foot paved section through Boyes, Fetters and Agua Caliente Springs. Plans are as yet in the making but a committee headed by Messrs. James Baines, R. Lichtenberg, George Samuel, Tom Corcoran, George Fetters and their co-workers are working out details for the demonstration. Over $200 has already been pledged toward defraying expenses of the entertainment, including music for the big dance, decorations and refreshments.

Sonoma City is to be illuminated and guests motoring in given a royal welcome under the bell at the intersection of Broadway and Napa street. A reception booth will be erected at the fountain and motorists directed to the scene of festivities at Coney Island where a rostrum will be arranged for an address of welcome and other features preceding the dance, to which everyone is bidden.

State Highway Cimmissioner Toy has been invited to speak here next Saturday night and tell of the launching of the plan in San Francisco, where news of the opening of this new piece of state highway has evoked great interest.

Sonoma Valley people are urged to make September 6th and 7th "homecoming days," that we may have a big crowd to join in the festivities and acclaim the opening of our new road.

Tonight at Boyes Springs fire house there will be a meeting to perfect plans of the celebration. Everyone is invited to attend.

Garage Man Tied To Tree By Thieves

Judge Leopold Justi, presiding magistrate of the Glen Ellen district, came to Sonoma Thursday morning bringing the startling story of a Santa Rosa man who had been kidnapped Wednesday night from a garage there, his car stolen by a thief who brought him as far as the Justi ranch, tied him to a tree and fled. The victim of the hold-up man was employed as a night man at the garage. The stranger entered, ordered him to take a car, drive over the Sonoma road and keep his mouth shut. When they reached a point on the county road near Justi's ranch he ordered the driver from the car and locating a tree off the road, tied him to it. He promised to send word to someone to release him when they reached Sacramento, marking the point where he was held captive by hanging a shirt on the fence. At 4 o'clock in the morning the man broke loose, made his way to the Weise ranch and gave the alarm.

N. D. G. W. GRAND PRESIDENT FETED

Sonoma and Other Parlors Welcome Grand President Gloster; Over 300 Members Participated.

Seldom has a more brilliant affair occurred than that of last Monday evening. The Woman's Club house was ablaze with lights and decorations of trailing vines and golden flowers, at which time Sonoma Parlor jointly with Santa Rosa and Petaluma Parlors entertained their grand president, Catherine Gloster, of Altura, Modoc county, on her official visit to this district, and had as their guests a large delegation from Napa Fairfax, Vallejo, San Rafael, Sausalito and Orindo Parlors.

The ritualistic work was exemplified in a splendid manner, four new members were initiated into the Order, and the grand president delivered a very charming address. A set of tea silver was presented to her by Gladys Small, president of Sonoma Parlor, from the three Parlors.

Refreshments were served and everyone was joyous that they were daughters of the Golden West.

MISSION CREAMERY TO EXHIBIT AT STATE FAIR

Joseph Vella, one of the proprietors of the Sonoma Mission Creamery announces that in response to a request for an exhibit of dairy products at the State Fair, that the creamery will send a creditable display from Sonoma. Butter and cheese will be exhibited and arrangements are being made to dsiplay the products attractively. Two years ago Messrs. Vella and Iacono won several premiums and blue ribbons with their Valley of the Moon products.

Professor L. L. Stenquist has gone south to visit his folks.

PICNIC PARTY WAS VICTIM OF SPITEFUL WORK

Mori and Pellandini Automobiles Ruined While Families Were Enjoying Picnic West of Town.

A case of unexplained vandalism has been reported to local officers by B. Mori and L. Pellandini, whose automobile tires were riddled by shots from a .22 calibre rifle, and their cars otherwise damaged by a miscreant who plied his dastardly work while the Mori and Pellandini families were picnicing near Fowler Creek Sunday. In all, 15 tires were shot up and five shots fired into the windshields and through the doors of the cars—a Hudson touring car and Ford truck belonging to Mori and a Chevrolet to Mr. Pellandini.

The families, including ten children left to picnic in the Sonoma foothills and parked their cars on the county road. They climbed a fence and after walking about a quarter of a mile sought a shady spot along the creek to eat their lunch. While eating they were approached by two youngsters who asked who owned the cars on the road. Mr. Mori said he did, and invited the children to join them in a piece of watermelon, but they ran off without accepting. With the exception of these visitors and someone seen on horseback in the vicinity, Mr. Mori has no clew to the perpetrators of the dastardly act.

Upon returning to the cars at 4 o'clock it was discovered that the tires were flat. The cause of the

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HURLEY FOUND GUILTY OF RECKLESS DRIVING

Aftermath of Automobile Collision With Eatons' Car Results In Fine of Fifty Dollars.

The case of Eaton vs Hurley which was the outcome of an automobile accident at Baxterville some time ago was tried at the Sonoma City Hall Thursday. Judge Leopold Justi presiding. A jury, after hearing the evidence brought in a verdict of guilty on the reckless driving charge of which the Petaluma man was accused.

Hurley, the Boy Scout executive of Petaluma appeared in his uniform and wore honor badges of the organization. He was represented by attorney Frank Burke of the Egg City. Assistant District Attorney Anderson prosecuted the case.

After the jury had rendered its verdict, Judge Justi sentenced Hurley to a $50 fine or 50 days in the county jail.

CARD PARTY WAS GREATLY ENJOYED

The first card party since vacation was held by the Woman's Club Wednesday evening. Honors at "500" went to the state highway representatives in attendance, Mrs. H. J. Sams and Mr. Smith.

The usual refreshments completed the social evening.

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EL VERANO NEWS

By ARCHIBALD McKIVER

A marriage license was issued at Santa Rosa last week to John Fletcher Harper and Miss Ann Dolores Walsh, of El Verano. Mr. Harper is our well known and popular butcher and has resided here about a year with his folks. The bride is a beautiful young lady and resides at her father's home near the golf links. The wedding will take place Sunday at St. Francis church, Sonoma, Rev. Father Byrne officiating. The newlyweds will make their home at El Verano and their many friends extend congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy married life. Following the wedding ceremony the couple will leave for the South on a honeymoon trip.

Mrs. A. Lippe has retruned to Verano after a several days' visit in San Francisco, shopping and visiting.

Harry Lutgens, popular former Sonoma boy, now of Sacramento, accompanied by his wife, enjoyed an outing Sunday at the Morris ranch at Agua Caliente. Lutgens is now private secretary to Governor Richardson.

Mrs. James O'Rourke of Santa Rosa was a Sunday visitor at Glen Ellen, also attending the dance given by the Glen Ellen Women's Club on Saturday night.

R. R. "Dal" Emparan, who is making a whirlwind fight for supervisor, was one of the many who attended the dance given by the Glen Ellen Women's Improvement Club Saturday night, at which time he met many old friends and made new acquaintances. The supervisorial fight is being watched with interest and friends of both candidates are working hard for the man of their choice.

The Franquelin Borthers went to San Francisco Sunday to witness the races at the Park Stadium, a horse of theirs being entered in one of the races.

Tom Shanahan, manager of the Napa base ball team, was in town on Sunday, shaking hands with his old friend, Archie McKiver, and meeting other acquaintances. Tom told the writer before leaving for Santa Rosa that his ball tossers would win and they did, by a score of 5 to 3 in favor of Napa. A return game will be played at Napa Sunday.

Misses Dora and Mabel Nonella of San Francisco spent Sunday at the Nonella home here.

The Mexican railroad crew has been transferred to Calistoga, where a rush switch job for an oil company will be put in. The crew will then return to El Verano to complete the double track to Boyes Springs.

Pete Maloney, a San Francisco policeman, was here for several days visiting at the Muldowney home. His wife and children are vacationing here.

A new gasoline pump is being installed at Locarnini's garage by the Union Oil Company. Owing to the increase of business it was found necessary to install the large pump.

Mrs. J. Nevraumont of San Francisco is one of the many guests now spending a pleasant vacation at the El Verano Villa.

Ed Dowdall has gone to Concord, where he has secured a lucrative position.

Joe LaHaye, San Francisco business man, is spending his annual vacation at the LaHaye cottage on picturesque Sonoma Creek.

Several fine bucks have been shot on the O'Brien ranch by local and Petaluma hunters.

Assistant Passenger and Freight Agent was in town from Santa Rosa Tuesday transacting business for the S. P. Company.

John Helms, who has resided at El Verano for some time, and is ninety years of age, was taken to San Francisco Sunday in an ambulance and is confined to a hospital. Helms suffered a stroke and is in a critical condition.

Al Rossi, N. W. P. brakeman, was in town from Sausalito Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cassidy and daughter of San Francisco were at their new home in El Verano over last Sunday.

A grass fire in Sonoma Vista last Friday brought out the fire engines and a number of volunteer fire fighters. The bucket brigade battled the flames and succeeded in getting the fire under control before any damage was done.

Miss Heggie and Mrs. F. Venton were southbound S. P. passengers on last Saturday morning, out of El Verano.

George Cowan, Glen Ellen sharpshooter, bagged a nice deer Sunday in the wilds of the western foothills of Glen Ellen.

Miss Beth Weaver has been in Sacramento visiting the Hunt family.

Mrs. W. J. Kroeger has returned after a several days' visiting and shopping trip to San Francisco.

Jack Main of Verano is moving his building at Verano so that it will face the new state highway, which is being rushed to completion.

Charles Blomstrom is back in El Verano, after spending the past three months in Santa Rosa.

Roadmaster Hart of South Vallejo was in town recently looking over S. P. rail improvements at the local yards.

Mrs. J. Cogo and Miss Josephine Cogo were visiting friends in Napa last week.

T. H. Baines, real estate dealer of El Verano, returned last Sunday after spending several days at the famous seaside resort, Dillon Beach.

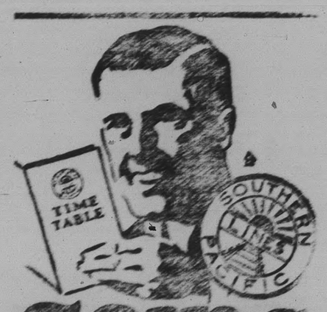
Chief of Police Mike Flohr of Petaluma and Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan of Sonoma were in El Verano Sunday on official business.

A special train out of Napa Thursday evening, August 14th, over the S. P., passed through El Verano enroute to Santa Rosa, where an Elks' initiation and pow-wow was held. The train stopped at El Verano and other stations, many Sonoma Valley Elks making the trip and enjoying the celebration.

Louis Valperga, assistant cashier of the Bank of Italy, San Francisco, was transacting business in El Verano last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Bosserman of Alameda have been spending several days at their Sonoma Vista home.

The news of the Firpo-Wills match to be fought in New York City on September 11th, is being looked forward to by lovers of boxing. The winner of this match will fight for the championship against Dempsey, the heavyweight title holder. Wills although clever and a good, all the black fighter away with a knock-around ring man, in the writer's opin- ont punch. Wills has never fought inn will not be able to stand up to our champion, Firpo recently being Firpo's onslaught, who is younger, defeated by Jack at New York City stronger, and will most probably put (Continued on Page Seven)



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WINE GRAPES LEAD IN MARKET QUOTATIONS

According to E. M. Sheehan, president and manager of the California Grape Growers' Association, which handles exclusively a large bulk of the juice or wine grapes from vineyards located principally in the northern section of the state, there has been unprecedented demand during the past month for this class of grape and Sheehan states as follows:

"Wine grapes are in the lead in market quotations over table and raisin varieties, and the coast county crops are being sought not only by the California shipping companies, but by speculators and by wire as well from many of the Eastern centers, where buyers and brokers, representing Eastern centers, are particularly eager for the black varieties out of which dark juice or wine is made, the wine being of the claret type.

"The demand for these black varieties has stimulated the prices of white grapes, and even the raisin types have been benefited by the unusual call for the blacks. There is a great differential, however, between the offerings for the whites and those for the blacks. The raisin types, such as Muscat, Thompson seedless, Sultanas and others have been commanding in the neighborhood of $20 per ton without boxes, while the blacks have been bringing from $60 to $100 per ton, according to the variety. Zinfandel, Grenache, Burgundy, Petite Sirah, Pinot and such types are firm at $60 naked, while the Mataro and Carignane types are doing $10 per ton better. The Missions are likewise in demand, and the Alicante variety, which is characteristically high colored runs up readily to $90 and $100 per ton. These prices are based on shipping points in California and do not include the cost of boxes and the loading.

"The crop of grapes in the state is going to be short and the car service promises to be better on that account than it has been for three years. At the same time there may be shipped out of the state nearly as many cars as last year.

"It is fair to predict that no wine grape growers will have difficulty this year in selling. Those who know and who are close at hand are willing to speculate, and the sales that are being made in the F. O. B. auctions tell the story that the East is anxious about the wine grapes and that many fear they are going to get left. We find shipping companies this year taking a chance and actually buying crops at stated prices when, heretofore, they were compelling consignment shipments with the growers taking the risk in faraway markets."—San Francisco Chronicle.



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CLYDE FUSSELL BACK AT POSTAL DUTIES

Clyde Fussell has returned to his duties at the post office after a pleasant three weeks' visit spent with relatives in Los Angeles.

Clyde was acompanied north by his mother, who is now visiting with her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Stall, in Richmond.—Napa Register.

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THE NEW HIGHWAY PARTY

It is not only fitting that we celebrate the opening of the new State highway whereby Sonoma Valley has been linked up to the Black Point cut-off by one of the finest laterals in California through Sonoma Valley, but we owe the good news of it to the outside world, too long shut out of this historic and famous section and who should now be apprised of the new era of the wide open gateway into the Valley of the Moon.

Let us tell the world of the accomplishment of a Highway Commission whose sense of appreciation and valuation of this Northern California health and recreation center led to the splendid achievement.

What better way to let travelers know that Sonoma Valley's dream has been realized than to invite the people from everywhere to come in a caravan of cars and celebrate with us the joyous event early in September. Seeing is believing and those who come once over our highway and make merry with us in this land of heart's desire will come again.

Let's launch the big party and write "welcome," that all the motor world may read.

COOLIDGE THE MAN FOR PRESIDENT

Clean government, honest, efficient government, is the only kind of government President Coolidge knows.

In the eighteen offices he filled before he became Vice President, he gave outstanding proof of his purposes and his integrity.

Since he has been President, he has shown equal resolution to eschew cheap politics and to make the government clean and honest and strong.

The character of the appointments an executive makes is an accurate index of what he has in mind. Harlan F. Stone, the new Attorney-General, already has given proof that prosecutions will proceed without fear or favor and that "influence" counts for nothing with him.

The selection of Judge Curtis D. Wilbur from our State for a seat in the cabinet is convincing to all Californians that uprightness and worthy ideals actuate the President.

The prompt removal of a high federal official in this State is emphatic testimony that administration of the law must be properly conducted.

Malefactors of great wealth are finding no refuge in the Coolidge administration. The big men caught in the oil scandals are under prosecution. Price-fixing by the oil monopoly also has been vigorously attacked.

If you want to know what the President will do in a particular situation, find what is writ in the law books to be his duty to do.

From what is set forth there he knows no swerving. And those whom he is appointing to office are of the same calibre.

There can be no compromise with dishonesty, no yielding when the statutes have been violated.

It is such unbending personalities that are the salvation of government. It is such character of authority that "gives the people the kind of government they think they are getting."

False pretense, cunning and political chicanery are wholly absent in the Coolidge scheme. They are so foreign to his personality that he wouldn't know how to act if he attempted them.

In all the offices he held in Massachusetts no one ever ventured to approach Coolidge in the great political game of "fix it." It was too apparent that his personality would recoil from such suggestion.

That inexorable adherence to and respect for the law, that rock-like determination to uphold it honestly and diligently, may prove to be Calvin Coolidge's greatest contribution to a nation that has become slack. The stern object lessons of Coolidge in striking at disrespect for the government and its laws are timely and imperative.

There is no "hokum," there are no demonstrative preachments, no vociferous professions. But in a quiet, hard-working, resolute way, President Coolidge is making his purpose clear.

He gives assurance in forthright fashion that the government, under his command, bids defiance to those who would corrupt it; that common honesty shall prevail; that the wholesomeness of true American ideals shall be preserved, and that the faith of the country's citizenship shall be the guiding star so long as Calvin Coolidge is in the White House.

SONOMANS INTERESTED IN DILLON BEACH ROAD

The splendid move to better e road to Dillon Beach which is being aided by a series of entertainments, has been the occasion of much interest over this way, and Sonoma Valley folks are urged to attend the benefit tonight (Saturday). Active in the good work of road improvement are County Clerk and Mrs. W. W. Felt, who have a summer home at Dillon Beach, and realize the asset this beach is to Sonoma county.

The program for tonight is as follows:

Soprano solo—Pearl Noble Abramson.

Bass solo—John W. Olver.

Sleight of hand—Robert Madison.

Soprano solo—Mrs. A. G. Winkler.

Tenor solo—L. Cunningham.

Shadowgrams and beach silhouettes of well known characters.

Music for dancing by the Mare Island Marine Band.

VOTE FOR LOWELL FOR SUPERVISOR

Supervisor F. A. Lowell is a county official with an honest record and a reputation for co-operating with the citizens of his district for its upbuilding.

The improvements made during his administration are permanent and substantial.

He believes in economy and careful management of public funds and that the taxpayer is entitled to a dollar's worth of work for every dollar spent.

Lowell's record as a public official is unique. When he found that county business was interfering with his business, he gave up his business to better attend to the business of the public.

The supervisor's job carries no salary. Lowell serves without pay otherwise than the expense money allowed for his service. He is a retired farmer with enough income of his own to be able to devote himself to county affairs.

Re-elect Supervisor Lowell who has served you faithfully and well during the past term and has acquired experience and knowledge to better serve you in the future. A vote for Lowell is a vote for a business administration and the future progress of the First Supervisorial District, which is his pride.—adv.

Mrs. Davidson and daughter of San Francisco have been visiting at the Wedekind ranch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kennell have moved into town and rented one of the Shocken cottages on Spain street.

PRETTY WEDDING WAS SOLEMNIZED ON SUNDAY

At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bonsey, Sonoma, an informal yet beautiful marriage was solemnized on last Sunday, August 10th, Rev. S. E. Crowe reading the service. The contracting parties were Harvey O. Downey and the accomplished Miss Lois M. Bonsey, recently of Oregon.

The bride, a most charming and popular girl, was exquisite in white satin gown with overdrape of silk Spanish lace, with girdle effect wrought in dainty satin ribbon, looped in lover's knots here and there, She carried a bouquet of Cecil Bruner roses.

The bridesmaids were Miss Frances Bonsey, sister of the bride and very charming in pink, and Miss Jennie Downey, sister of the groom, gowned in pale blue, was an ideal maid.

Mr. Downey, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Downey, is counted among our most promising young men. In this happy event he was attended by his brother, Alton, and the bride's brother, Virgil Bonsey. Some twenty-five sat down to an elegant dinner and at 3 o'clock the bridal party left for Oregon amid a shower of rice and good wishes.

SONOMA TRAVELERS BEAT PORTLAND ON SLOGAN

The Sonoma travelers, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lindley, averaged about 200 miles per day on their recent trip to Utah, and declare that about five to one of the motorists on the road everywhere are from California. They gave each other the high sign and occasionally, says Lindley, the California booster gets ahead of the live wires at Portland. The Chamber of Commerce representative of that city handed out a sticker to the Sonoma motorist, which read: "For You a Rose In Portland Grows." Lindley thanked him and added that he was from the Valley of the Moon, where roses grew, too, and all the year round.

Mrs. Lindley's sister and her husband, and also her parents expect to make the trip to California this fall or winter and will visit here.

ABATEMENT NOTICE SERVED

Notice of abatement has been served on E Barsi, proprietor of a Glen Ellen restaurant and soft drink parlor. The place was raided recently and Barsi paid a bootleg fine.

Mrs. Cook and two daughters, have removed to Berkeley.

In the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma

In the Matter of the Semi-Annual Report of the Public Administrator of the County of Sonoma, State of California

To the Honorable, the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma:

FRANK H. PHILLIPS, Public Administrator of said County of Sonoma, State of California, respectfully makes this, his return of all estates of decedents, which have come into his hands as such Public Administrator for the period or term of six months, beginning with and including the first day of January, 1924, and ending with and including the last day of June, 1924. Said return being pursuant to Section 1736 of the Code of Civil Proceedure of the State of California, and is as follows:

Number	Title of Estate	Value	MoneyRecd	What done with money	Exp.Agst.Est	Balance On Hand	Fees
8534	Fred Smith	$ 536.69	$ 536.69	County Treasurer	$ 205.00	County Treasurer	------
8529	John Philip	103.20	103.20	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	------
8603	Henry Coisson	Unknown	3609.48	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	------
8618	Steve Casolini	Unknown	1462.64	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	------
8619	George W. Riley	Unknown	------ --		Unknown	County Treasurer	------
8612	Dickson Brownell	2375.00	237.50	Holding	Unknown	Holding	------
8645	Steve Skiadas	Unknown	302.38	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	------
8672	Barney McKendry	Less $500	------ --	----------	----------	----------	------
8669	Alex Mehas	Unknown	------ --	----------	----------	----------	------
8538	George F. Warren	4602.95	4602.95	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	$213.67
8591	John P. Olson	Unknown	3637.31	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	------
8650	Lorenz P. Larsen	Unknown	1766.66	County Treasurer	Unknown	County Treasurer	50.00

STATE OF CALIFORNIA } SS.
COUNTY OF SONOMA }

FRANK H. PHILLIPS, being duly sworn says: That he is the duly elected, qualified and acting Public Administrator of the County of Sonoma, State of California; that he has read the foregoing return of estates and knows the contents thereof; that the said return contains a full and correct statement of each estate, in so far as the same is known to affiant, the money which has come into his hands in each estate, and what has been done with said money, the amount of fees, the expense incurred and the balance, if any, remaining on hand in each estate for the period of six months beginning with the first day of January, 1924, and ending with the last day of June, 1924.

FRANK H. PHILLIPS,
Public Administrator.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 5th day of July, 1924.

J. W. FORD,
Notary Public in and for the County of Sonoma, State of California.

(SEAL)

Filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma.

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VANDALS SHOOT UP AUTOMOBILE TIRES

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trouble then became plain. Holes had been shot in every tire, even the spares, the windshields were shattered and the cars otherwise injured.

When it was apparent that repairs were useless, G. Locarnini, the El Verano garage man, was sent for and the party was finally enabled to get home.

Deputy Sheriff Ryan has been at work on the case and if apprehended the vandal will be vigorously prosecuted for his work.

Mori declares that there were no warning signs on the property where the picnic was held and that they could not have been mistaken for hunters as they carried no firearms and their party included the 10 little children for whom the picnic was really given.

Mrs. Lily Goepfert (Lily Bulotti) and daughter, Beatrice, are here from San Francisco and have their new Buick sedan with them, which Mrs. Goefert has learned to drive.

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SONOMANS ON JURY IN POLICE BRIBE CASE

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been exhausted and a special venire of five drawn.

The trial opened immediately after the jury was sworn in. Judge Rolfe Thompson issued an order that all boys and girls under the age of 18 years be excluded from the courtroom during the trial. The court bailiff removed several young people from the room and Attorney W. F. Cowan took the floor.

Cowan declared that the charge against the accused policeman, that of "asking and receiving a bribe" was in reality two separate charges and asked that the prosecution inform the defense which charge would be pressed. After lengthy discussion between the attorneys, Judge Thompson overruled the motion.

District Attorney George W. Hoyle then took the floor and called Chief of Police Mathews as the first witness. Mathews was questioned principally as to whether or not Mays had acted as a police officer during the period from July 1, 1923, until January 1, 1924. After completing the examination of Chief Mathews, court was adjourned until 10 o'clock Wednesday morning.

During the examination of jurors the Klan question cropped out repeatedly. Attorney Cowan asked several of the jurors if they belonged to any secret organization that might have "law enforcement" as its principle, and on several other occasions asked if any fraternal connections would prejudice jurors either one way or another.

WILL ATTEND THE URSULINE ACADEMY

Miss Irma Adler, Sonoma High School graduate, is to attend the Ursuline Academy at San Rafael, and will prepare to become a teacher. The academy preparatory course is said to be very fine.

TRIP TO NATIONAL PARK THEME OF SPEAKER

In place of Emmett Olmsted, former prison director, who was scheduled to speak before the Woman's Club yesterday, but who was forced to cancel his engagement on acount of official business, the ladies were given a very interesting talk by Mrs. Carrie Burlingame on the Sierra Club's recent visit to Glacier National Park. Mrs. Burlingame and Miss Bertha Warthorst of Sonoma were among the party of 275 Sierra members who made the trip.

The excursion party made the journey via Portland, Spokane, Seattle over the Great Northern and were entertained enroute by Chambers of Commerce and shown every courtesy. The Glacier National Park in the northwest corner of the state of Montana, is close to the Canadian border and is a wonderful, rugged area of scenic grandeur. By crossing Watertown Lake the Sierra Club members were enabled to include Canadian territory in their trip and many added this jaunt to their itinery.

The park is considered the most beautiful national park of all, but Mrs. Burlingame contrasted it with the parks of the Sierras, which are more of the campers' paradise, because of ideal weather conditions here, whereas the Rocky Mountain country is prone to storms. Much rain was encountered and lasted several days at a time. The wild animals of the Rockies proved interesting, Mrs. Burlingame recounting opportunities of viewing mountain goats and horned sheep and other species at close range. Dr. Bailey, naturalist and government field man, gave interesting talks on the wild life of the park.

Glacier National Park usually explored on horseback by tourists, was covered by the Sierra Club hikers over unbeaten trails and in many places they forded rivers with water to their waists.

The Sonoma nature lovers praised the gorgeous wild flowers above the timber line of the Rockies, describing the timber as dense, but not large like that in California parks.

An added feature of the club's afternoon was Mrs. Ralph Hotz's song "California Lullaby," famous composition of Rudy Sieger, which was greatly enjoyed. Refreshments rounded out the afternoon.

ENTERTAINED FOR NEWLYWEDS

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Greaves entertained at their home in Glen Ellen last Sunday in honor of their son and his bride, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greaves, of Wheatland, who came to spend the week end. Those from out of town who attended were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Greaves, of Wheatland; Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Robinson, of Tulare county; Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Kenny, of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. A. Hassett, of San Francisco; and Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Healy of San Rafael.

WON NAIL DRIVING CONTEST

Mrs. C. R. Wise of Fetters Springs won the woman's nail driving contest at the carnival dance given at Fetters Springs Theatre Wednesday night. There was a fine crowd and five ladies participated in the difficult feat of driving spikes through the big plank on the dance floor.

Mrs. Kate Luhrs of San Francisco was visiting with the Mrs. A. Breitenbach family for a week.

Sam Fisher of Richmond visited with the A. Breitenbach family over the week end. Sam is now working for the Standard Oil Company.

D. E. Albers was awarded the contracts by the supervisors this week for the building of concrete bridges over the Agua Caliente and Stuart creeks. The bridge just above Verano will cost $4400 and the other at Warfield $3260.

When Mrs. Sams, mother of Engineer H. J. Sams of the state highway constracting firm, returned to her Berkeley home Sunday after a visit here, she found that burglars had entered the house and looted it of a number of valuables.



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J. W. Warner, Centerville Power House; 10 years
Chas. Conrad, Stanislaus; 13 years
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Wm. Clampitt, San Jose; 15 years
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G. B. Pietronave, Stanislaus; 6 years
H. Werder, San Mateo; 4 years
James Fogarty, DeSabla; 14 years
Thomas Jefferson, Drum; 13 years
Frank Jackson, Sacramento; 31 years
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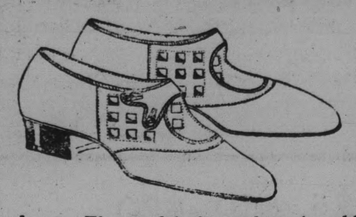
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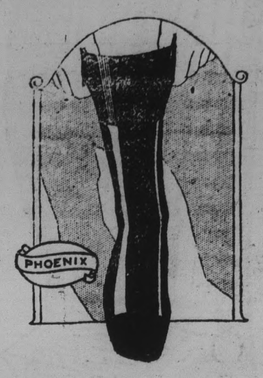


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WITH EPWORTH LEAGUERS AT RUSSIAN RIVER

The following Sonoma members of the Epworth League accompanied district leader George Crowe and wife on the annual institute and outing of the League to the Russian River this week. Frances Perry, Jane Eberhardt, May Tomlinson, Rosalie Ogden, Billy Lund, Raymond Barr, Wm. Rambo and son, Rev. S. E. Crowe and others.

Maxwell Johnson has returned from Alameda where he has been spending his vacation.

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VAUDEVILLE SHOW AND DANCE ON AUGUST 29th

The annual benefit vaudeville show and dance for St. Francis Church, formerly given at Boyes Springs theatre, will take place this year at Fetters Springs theatre. The usual splendid bill will be presented with artists from San Francisco participating. Music for dancing will be furnished through the courtesy of George Fetters and his orchestra. The date of the big vaudeville show has been set for Friday night, August 29.

MEETING TO DISCUSS FIRE ENGINE DEBT

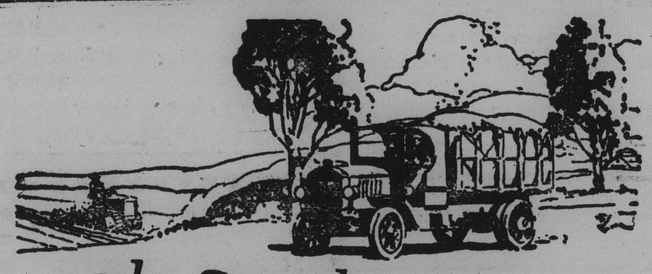
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make an excellent fire chief.

At the meeting Wednesday night plans for a monster benefit dance at Coney Island on Saturday night, August 30th, will be discussed, committees chosen and a treasurer elected.

Attend the fire department meeting at Sonoma Vista on Wednesday evening and do your share toward putting the department and its future on a firm basis. Almost everyone in Sonoma Valley has money invested in the "Valley Angel" and is vitally interested in the success of the Boyes Springs and Valley Fire Department. Respond to the call of the fire department as the fire department responds to you, is the slogan of the hour.

Captain and Mrs. O. W. Parker of El Verano have been enjoying a visit from their daughter and family of Oakland.



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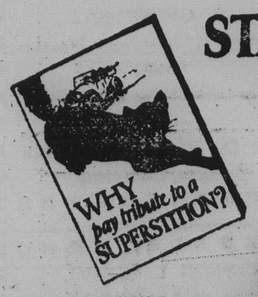
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CANDIDATE FOR ASSEMBLY CALLS

Dr. David P. Anderson of Santa Rosa, candidate for the assembly from this district, was a visitor to Sonoma Valley Thursday and made the acquaintance of a number of prominent people in various precincts. Anderson is a well known professional man of the City of Roses, but has never before been in politics. He is a prominent civic worker and as such enjoys a wide circle of friends and admirers in his home town. He is making the campaign for the assembly under the slogan, "Reduced taxation through economy and efficiency in every department. Fewer laws, not so many lawyers, less politics and more business in our legislative halls."

In next week's Index-Tribune Mr. Anderson will address an open letter to the voters of this section. His political announcement appears elsewhere in these columns.

ANOTHER AUTO COLLISION CASE TO BE HEARD

The responsibility for an auto collission at Napa street and Second street West a short time ago is to be determined by Judge Justi, who will consider the testimony offered in the case of Ysedro Ornalez against L. F. Lambert. The former a State highway employee is suing the local druggist for damages which he alleges his car received in the mix-up.

GOLDEN GATE FERRY COMPROMISE FORESEEN

The battle that has raged for more than a year in the inner councils of the Golden Gate Ferry Company, and which has involved officials in the company and its sister organizations, the Rodeo-Vallejo Ferry Company and the American Toll Bridge Company, in charges of misusing ferry funds to the total of $250,000, may be settled out of court. The trial, which was resumed August 5th and continued daily before Judge Walter Perry Johnson in San Francisco, has been abruptly halted. Continuance was taken until next Monday. In the meantime effort is to be made to reach a compromise.

The compromise effort, it is said, was originated by the defendants. It followed thetaking of numerous depositions and the hearing in open court of considerable testimony. The plaintiffs, headed by J. B. Foppiano, of Healdsburg, a director of the Golden Gate Company, charged that Golden Gate funds had been diverted for the personal profit of Aven J. Hanford and Oscar H. Klatt, controlling officials of the company, and had been illegally juggled with the funds of the Rodeo-Vallejo Ferry Company and the American Toll Bridge Company. The plaintiffs asked an accounting and a receivership for the Golden Gate Ferry.

Accountants made an examination of the books, then depositions were taken and for 10 days public hearings have been in progress. Then came a bid for a settlement out of court with the hope that definite announcement of a settlement may be made before Judge Johnson next Monday.

Hints of criminal actions against ferry company officials have been made, but it is stated these will be forgotten if the present compromise effort prevails.

The Ladies Aid of the M. E. church will meet in the church parlors on Thursday, August 21st. All invited.

The Ladies Aid of the Congregational church will meet Tuesday, August 19th, at the home of Mrs. Andrew J. Smith on Second Street East, the former Lutgens residence.

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SCHELLVILLE NEWS

Mrs. C. Jessen had a birthday this month and was made very happy by the gift of a Radiola from Mr. Jessen

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Keller and Mrs. Sarah Gillham spent the week end in Yolo and Solano counties.

Mrs. Grover Rubke was hostess to the Jolly Twelve last Saturday evening. Cards and refreshments were enjoyed.

Mrs. Zerelda Bartlett of Auburn is here for an indefinite stay with her sister, Mrs. S. Gillham.

Mrs. Joe Keiser and her two cousins of Sonora enjoyed a four days' pleasure trip to San Francisco and Burlingame.

Mrs. Nell Leahy, Miss Julia Brosnan and C. Bush of Berkeley spent Sunday at the E. Steiger home.

Mrs. Mary Rubke is contemplating a delightful visit with relatives at Carson City, Nevada.

Bruce Weatherhead of El Verano transacted business here Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Anderson entertained 10 relatives from San Francisco and San Rafael last Sunday.

The John Hanley's are enjoying a visit from Mrs. M. E. Behmer of Oakland.

Miss Helen Johnson of San Francisco was attending to business at her ranch here Tuesday.

Ralph and Andrew Anderson are on a camping trip in the vicinity of Stockton.

Little Della Mae Pauli is home again, much to the delight of her playmates.

Miss Lillie Moskowite has been visiting in San Francisco for the past several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Knight and children enjoyed the show at the Don Theatre, Sonoma, Saturday evening.

Word comes from Mrs. F. Helberg and daughter, Marguerite, that they are having a fine time on their vacation in Southern California.

NOTED VISITORS REGISTER AT THE UNION HOTEL

Mr. and Mrs. William Kellard, the latter a first cousin of Mrs. L. V. Emparan, have been here from San Francisco, registered at the Union Hotel. Mrs. Kellard's mother was Rosalie Vallejo, sister of General M. G. Vallejo, and she married Captain Jacob P. Leese, prominent in California history during the stirring days of the young republic.

Mrs. Kellard, a lady of typical Spanish-California charm, and her genial husband, were delighted with their visit in old Sonoma and paid us high compliment on our climate.

Mr. Kellard, who is a Sante Fe railroad man, predicts a great boom in this part of the state by 1926, and declares that Californians, Inc., is doing wonderful work in attracting tourists here. Los Angeles has had its day. Watch this part of California grow, said the visitor.

FOUR INJURED IN AUTOMOBILE WRECK

Injured when they were pinned under their overturned auto on the high way near Kenwood, William Wylie of Oakland and Miss Helen Hansen of Santa Rosa were rushed to a Santa Rosa hospital at an early hour Sunday morning.

Wylie, driver of the car, is suffering from a severe laceration, extending across the scalp, and other cuts and bruises. His companion, who was unconscious when taken to the hospital, later recovered. She was suffering from a blow on the head, according to Dr. R. E. Hamlin, attending physician.

LIBRARY NOTES

The Sonoma Library is indebted to George Breitenbach for a copy of the Memoirs of Mark Twain and Steve Gillis.

A number of books of interest to Christian Scientists have been donated by friends of the library.

A. Rouquette and his brother-in-law of San Francisco were recent visitors here, renewing old acquaintances and looking after property interests. Mr. Rouquette formerly was proprietor of the French Laundry here.

SHOWER COMPLIMENTARY TO MRS. OLIVER MAFFEI

A shower complimentary to Mrs. Oliver Maffei and attended by fourteen young matrons was given on Wednesday at the Maffei home by Mrs. A. Maffei (Cora Adams)

Dainty favors, indicative of the afternoon and a deluge of beautiful gifts were features of the pretty event. The newly furnished home was artistically decorated and after a social hour of sewing and merrymaking, a delicious repast was served.

CLEAN UP AND PAINT UP FOR THE CELEBRATION

With the announcement of the celebration of the new highway's opening and the crowds expected for the event September 6th and 7th, all Sonoma Valley people are urged by the committee to clean up and paint up that visitors may get a good impression of our community. Clear off weeds and grass, fix up and paint fences, get rid of rubbish piles and keep the gardens blooming.

Let's all doll up for the big party.

COMMENDS L. E. FULWIDER FOR THE ASSEMBLY

The voters on August 26, 1924 will choose a man to represent them in the Assembly for the years 1925 and 1926. The Taxpayers of the district are especially interested in this election. The public debt is increasing in California four times faster than the taxable wealth. Taxes necessarily increase in proportion to the debt. We must elect a man who has a record for economy. L. E. Fulwider, candidate for Member of the Assembly in the Thirteenth District is not only pledged to economy but has such a record. During the sessions of the Legislature in 1921 and 1923 he voted consistently for economy and a reduction in the running expenses of the State. He supported Governor Richardson in his effort to give the state of California a business administration. He believes in the budget law and says that if the heads of the various departments in the state will honestly co-operate with the Board of Control that millions can be saved to the taxpayers of the state. For the best interests of this district Assemblyman Fulwider should be re-elected to the Legislature. —Cloverdale Reveille.

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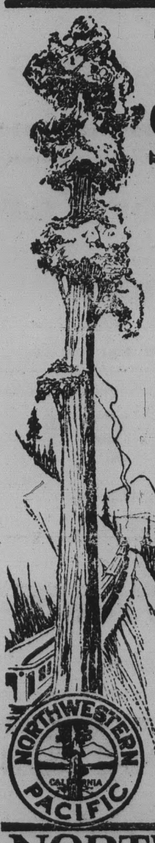
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Mrs. Ralph Winston of Richmond, and children, were visiting here while Mr. Winston was on a deer hunt. Mrs. Winston was formerly Miss Beth Trudgen and her husband has a splendid position with the Standard Oil Company.

The dredger "Sonoma" and the pioneer dredger "Nevada" are busy at wor kalong the levees on the Jones ranch. The reclamation project, with its valuable crops, has proven to be one of Sonoma county's big assets during the past 20 years.

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HENRY WALTZ, JR., MARRIED SUNDAY

Henry Waltz, Jr., youngest son of Rev. and Mrs. Henry Waltz of Fir Crags Ranch, Sonoma, claimed Miss Rosalie Anderson of Berkeley as his bride last Sunday at Trinity church in the college town. The groom's father officiated, assisted by Dr. Dennett, resident Berkeley pastor.

A reception in the parsonage was followed by a family dinner at which covers were laid for 17 relatives.

After the honeymoon young Waltz and his bride will reside in Petaluma where the groom is to teach in the Petaluma High School the coming term. The newlyweds are both graduates of the University of California.

BROUGHT DOWN FINE BUCK

Dave Schieck, Tony Cereghino, Bill Cowen and Jim Small killed a fine buck at Cooper's Grove Sunday. The deer was a handsome specimen.

PAGEANT OF THE REDWOODS

"A pageant is a festival to Almighty God in commemoration of past glories, and in gratitude for present prosperity," said Louis N. Parker, father of modern pageantry.

On Monday, September 1st, at 1 o'clock in the Armstrong Woods, the Federated Women's Clubs of Sonoma county are to present "The Pageant of the Redwoods." It is truly a Sonoma county production, having been prepared entirely by Sonoma county club women under the chairmanship of their president, Mrs. T. J. McMannis.

The pageant has three divisions. In the historical group, five episodes are given, portraying events which have taken place during the life of the redwood trees.

Santa Rosa Saturday Afternoon Club presents an event of Hebrew history. The Federated W. C. T. U. of Sonoma county gives the beautiful Christian episode of the birth of Christ. The Petaluma Women's Club presents the episode of Columbus at the court of Ferdinand and Isabella, and also the landing of Columbus at San Salvador. The Sonoma Valley Women's Club gives incidents of the Spanish period of California history, and Rincon Valley Women's Club is to give an event of the time of the "gold diggers."

The second division of the pageant consists of groups of interpretive dances depicting the spirits of fire, flowers, fog, water, snow, forest and rain. The bunny rabbits have their revels, the frogs their frolics and the little insects of the woods give their dances. This artistic work is entirely under the supervision and direction of Miss Gladys Kenney. With some of her pupils Miss Kenney gives a dance of the wood nymphs, and later in the pageant a solo dance, "The White Moth."

The pageant closes with three short prophetic incidents depicting ways of saving our noble redwood trees from further destruction.

A natural amphitheatre in Armstrong Woods gives a most beautiful setting for the pageant. The audience is to sit on the terraced hillside and the pageant is to be played on the level stretch at the base.

Elaborate and beautiful costumes are being prepared by Golstein & Company, San Francisco, for the 350 people taking part in the production. The "Save the Redwoods League" of San Francisco is giving much publicity to the production and co-operating with the committee in working for the success of the great undertaking. An orchestra is to render appropriate and interpretive music and the chairmen of the different committees are all working unsparingly to perfect this festival which will commemorate the glories of the redwoods and inspire within all a love and reverence for our noble trees.

MRS. FRANK J. GREENE.

Mrs. Louise McElroy contemplates removing to Petaluma in order to be near her daughter and grandchildren.

The Misses Louise and Marie Cannobio have been here from San Francisco enjoying their vacations at the family home, near Agua Caliente.

Eric Blomgren of San Francisco was greeting Boyes Springs friends on Tuesday of last week.

PROBE OF SCHOOL ROW IS A JOKE

The Petaluma school row which has been brewing between the factions favoring City Superintendent Bruce Painter, formerly principal of the Sonoma High School, and Prof. Oberg, a discharged Petaluma instructor, seems to have been waged in vain, the committee of investigation having probed conditions and arrived nowhere in their findings.

The charges of jazz and breaking down of morale in the city school system were not substantiated by the committee, which simply "passed the buck" and asks the Board of Education to smooth things over. A dispatch to the Republican says:

"If Al Jolson was in Petaluma, he probably would sing like this:

"'School row, here I come,
Right back where I started from.'

"For that is where the school situation in Petaluma, following the attempted ousting by the Board of Education of David Oberg, Junior High School principal has landed—right back where it started from.

"The citizen's committee named to probe the situation, made its report recently.

"The report contains four findings and a conclusion, which can be summed up in other famous words—'the buck is passed'—right back to the school board which originated the move to oust Oberg because of alleged insubordination and inefficiency.

"In brief, the report says:

"1. Those who worked upon a solution of the problem were animated by sincere interest for the boys and girls of the schools.

"2. Much controversy and many rumors were found.

"3. It was 'practically impossible' to get the actual concrete facts because many who claimed to have a knowledge of bad conditions in the schools refused to come out in the open and offer any proof of their positions.

"4. The investigation is felt to have 'served a good purpose.'

"The report sums up:

"'We wish to place the whole school situation up to members of the Board of Education, believing that even as a result of this investigation they may be better able to understand the public mind, and hope they may have the judgment, wisdom and courage to handle all matters in such a way that perfect confidence can be restored.'"

MILLERICKS ARE TO PARTICIPATE IN RODEO

August will be a busy month for the committee in charge of the Humboldt County Stockmen's Association rodeo to be held at Fortuna, August 30th and September 1st. Plans are being completed to make the event one of the greatest seasonal shows ever held in northwestern California.

Arrangements have been completed with Millerick Brothers to ship a carload of bucking horses to participate in the rodeo. J. J. Millerick will be in charge of the car and will have three or four professional riders with him.

SONOMA RANCHES CHANGE HANDS

Mrs. C. N. Lawrence of the Hyde Tract has sold her five acre fruit ranch to L. F. Langley, formerly of Oregon, who with his family has already taken possession.

D. W. Harrier of Oakland has purchased the Einhorn place of 5¾ acres at Schellville.

Both deals were consummated by W. W. Carter.

Otto Gericke, former pioneer rancher of this section, but now a prosperour resident of Sebastopol, was in Sonoma Sunday for a short stay.

Miss Adeline Wirtz, popular employee of the Central Commercial and Savings Bank, has been enjoying her vacation at the Russian River.

Mrs. S. Carmer, the accommodating clerk of Gottenberg Brothers, is spending her vacation at Branscombe, in Mendocino county.

Mrs. Grinstead, of Palo Alto, mother of the local attorney, has been here visiting her son's family, including her interesting little grandson.

LOCAL AND PERSONAL

Miss M. Fischer, sister-in-law of Albert Kerner, has come from San Francisco to spend the summer and will keep house for Mr. Kerner, and her nephew, Bert.

Miss Mildred Burchard, the school teacher, has been enjoying her vacation at Capitola.

Mrs. A. Zane and daughter of Bellingham, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. George Brill of Healdsburg are now guests at the Snyder ranch.

John VanArminge, son of the late Dr. VanAmringe, a former Sonoma dentist, has a job with the highway crew here. He is a Stanford student.

Alberta MacQuiddy of Pittsburg, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. MacQuiddy, nee Annie Dunn, has been visiting Sonoma relatives.

Mrs. Tony Cereghino was called for jury duty Monday in the case of Policeman Mays, charged with graft in the famous negro protection case.

Robert Poppe, Jr., contemplates entering St. Mary's College, Oakland and has an offer to work for the Bank of Italy in that city.

Miss Phyllis Fisk, accompanied her grandmother, Mrs. Kate Buchan, to Sonoma Sunday after they had visited Robley Harbot, at the Shriners' Hospital in San Francisco. Robley has had a second operation on his leg and gives promise of making a demarkable recovery. Mrs. Arthur Fisk, mother of Phyllis, is in San Francisco for a few months, having rented her pretty home in Pacific Grove to vacationers.

Mrs. J. Harry Weise of Glen Ellen has been visiting in Santa Rosa, a guest at the homes of Mrs. S. Dunbar, Mrs. Hattie Luttrell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Luttrell. Mrs. C. C. Weise of Winehaven arrived yesterday for a visit at the Luttrell home.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Maley, who recently sold their apartment house in San Francisco and returned to the Boyes Springs, are planning on rebuilding here. They will erect cottages and a store building in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Griffith are the proud parents of a baby girl, born on Tuesday morning. Mrs. Griffith was formerly Miss Tillmannshoefer.

Mrs. Braunbeck of San Francisco has been visiting at the Nordwell Avenue Resort of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Engish. She came up to take the hot mineral baths for her health.



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EL VERANO NEWS

(Continued from Page Two)

via the K. O. route. Wills in past bouts has leaned toward faking, his last memorable faking being with Jack Thompson at San Francisco several years ago. This match was promoted by Louis Parente, who refused to pay the fighters, owing to the shady appearance of the contest.

Chief Stuermer and Assistant Chief B. McConnell were busy Sunday burning grass around the Sonoma Vista section. This is good work and will guard against fires in this section.

Highway Commissioner Toy and family of San Francisco were spending Sunday at their Sonoma Vista bungalow.

Harold Bosserman of Santa Rosa was in Sonoma Vista Sunday, spending the day with friends.

Harry Rogers, a cowboy of the western foothills, was in town last week from the Petaluma side.

Jim Harrington, Schellville section foreman, was renewing acquaintances in El Verano Sunday.

The Honorable Clarence Lea and wife were in El Verano Tuesday, Mr. Lea transacting business and meeting his loyal friends. Lea is a candidate to succeed himself at the primaries, but may have opposition at the November election. As he is a great political favorite in these parts, his supporters will be out strong for Lea's return to congress. As he has the endorsement of both Republicans and Democrats he should sweep into office by the biggest majority ever given a congressman.

DINNER PARTY FOR NOTED SWEDISH GUEST

An elaborate dinner party of 16 guests was given on Tuesday night of last week in honor of Bror Carl Soderblom, son of the Archbishop of Sweden, at Fetters Hotel.

In the center of the table stood a beautiful blonde doll, dressed in the Swedish costume, bearing ribbons of blue, red and yellow, the Swedish national colors. At the end of each ribbon stood a tiny doll draped in the American national colors and holding a place card inscribed with the name of a guest.

After dinner the young guest of honor entertained his friends by playing a number of his own compositions, he being an accomplished and gifted musician.

Mr. Soderblom is making a trip around the world and expects to leave in a short time for Sweden. He finds Australia the most interesting country he has visited. The city of Sydney maintains two large opera houses and the people are fine musical critics. He is charmed with the beautiful surroundings at Fetters Springs and his health has been much improved by the sulphur baths.

Guests at the dinner party were as follows:

Misses Leona Keane, Lucy Keane, Eleanor DeMartini, G. Myers, A. Gorman, B. Epstein, and A. Hyman, and Messrs. J. Rosenthal, B. Walters, F. Taussig, F. Travares, A. K. Lennon, H. Phillips, J. Chichazola, I. Greenbaum, M. Harband and B. Carl Soderblom.

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The Sonoma Valley Union High School will sell the following school property as a whole or in part:

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The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Shirley Weise of Glen Ellen has again been taken to the Children's Hospital in San Francisco for treatment. The little baby has already undergone two operations.

DINNER IN HONOR OF NEWLYWEDS-TO-BE

A beautifully appointed dinner was given Saturday night by Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Burmester of El Verano, complimentary to their son, Harry, and his bride-to-be, Miss Edna Jensen. The table was prettily decorated and a turkey dinner enjoyed by the guests who included Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hotz, Professor and Mrs. L. H. Golton, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wedekind. Following the dinner the prospecive groom and the men of the party adjourned to the Masonic Temple where Harry Burmester took his second degree in Masonry.

Mr. Burmester and his fiancee returned to Oakland Sunday evening.

STINGRAY TOWED BOAT FOR HALF A MILE

To be towed in their boat for a half mile by a stingray caught while fishing for bass near the Black Point Bridge at Novato, was the experience of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Lagan of Santa Rosa.

Lagan was after the black bass when the stingray evidently was tempted by the appearance of the bait and bit. The big fish weighed approximately 75 pounds and it took four persons to haul him in after he was played an hour by Lagan.—Petaluma Courier.

STATE FAIR RACES BEGIN AUGUST 30th

A cloudless California sky, a fast track, a grand stand with its thousands, undulating like an irridescent sea, made gay by the mingling of multi-colored frocks and flowers, the murmur of a titanic bee-hive, the surging to the front as they line up, the signal of the starter and the cry "they're off"—at the seventieth annual state fair.

The date of the opening day is August 30th. Don't miss it.

It is safe to say that the 1924 speed program of the seventieth annual state fair will constitute the fastest and best racing card ever entered in the state of California.

Sport lovers and racing fans will find the keenest enjoyment in this excellent series of racing events to be staged as nearly like the old days as present conditions will admit.

Among the practically untried horses that have never appeared before the public there are some remarkable fast workouts being made both at the fair grounds and at other training quarters.

Among notable horses of the trotting entries will be found "Barbara D", 2:07¼, owned by W. G. Durfee of Los Angeles. This mare was laid over for two years owing to the illness and later extensive European tour of Mr Durfee, at one time one of the largest horse owners and breeders of the race course.

"Angeleno", 2.09¼, owned by S. H. Cowell of Santa Cruz, and trained by Walter Tryon. This was the largest money-getter on the Pacific Coast in 1923.

"Jeanette McKlylo", 2.12¼, owned by L. H. Toddhunter, of Sacramento, and trained by John Quinn of Stockton. Won state fair "colt stakes" in the pace class in 1921.

"Potreress", 2.06¼, owned by Geo. Giannini and trained by Frank Machado. Last year's sensational pacer on the Pacific Coast, and the largest money winner of any horses on the Coast in 1923.

"Bobby O", 2.07½, owned by S. H. Cowell, Santa Cruz, and trained by Walter Tryon. Largest winner among the green pacers in 1923. Now looks like very high class pacer. Will in all probability give Patreress a run for the money.

"Billy H", 2.07¼, owned and trained by Joe Cuicello of San Francisco. Exceedingly fast horse; made his first starts last year; was later attacked by sickness but now back in old form.

"Little Bear", 2.07½, sired by Sacramento's old favorite, "Teddy Bear" (2.05), owned by Charles F. Silva of Sacramento and trained by L. B. Daniels.

The entry list for 1924 will be noted to be far above that of any previous year in the class of horses, and in addition the prizes will be much larger.

HOLY SMOKE? HELL, NO!

Should women smoke on the street and can they smoke on Sonoma's Boulevard Broadway or on Napa street are questions of interest.

In Visalia recently two young girls took a puff or two from their cigarettes and so shocked the townspeople that an attempt was made to arrest them. Of course, there was no law against women smoking any more than one to prohibit men, so the flappers were undisturbed, unless the article in a Hanford paper disturbed them. The editor there roasted them thusly:

"In Visalia or any other town or city, smoking of cigarettes by young girls on the street or off of it is a matter of personal conscience. If a young girl is so offensive as to smoke at all, and if she is lost to all decency and makes public her shortcomings, only public contempt and derision will bring her to her senses. Any young girl who would walk along a public street puffing a cigarette in face of public aversion to such a performance would better be watched by the police, for she is probably due for a worse course compared with which cigarette smoking is a small offense."

The writer, evidently provincial in his point of view, really overstepped the margin of criticism, quite likely as a warning to foolish young things who think it "class" to have the brass to smoke in public.

Sonoma has been free from feminine street smokers thus far, save for a woman prohibition agent who tried to set the fashion here some time ago. By the way, said reformer blew in town this week and tried to make some "buys" of Sonoma wine. Recognized as the prohi who used to smoke and do other fancy tricks while here, she went thirsty.

MRS. WHITING HAS BEEN ILL

The many friends of Mrs. Susan Whiting, of San Francisco, will regret to hear that she has been quite ill. Her friend, Mrs. Potter, has also been on the sick list, but is again able to care for her old friend.

Miss Florence Murphy is visiting relatives in Berkeley.

L. Ducret of the service station at Fetters Springs is installing a new up-to-date five gallon pump and otherwise improving his property.

Miss Beatrice Heggie who had the misfortune to break her arm while cranking her car at the Heggie summer home is doing nicely.

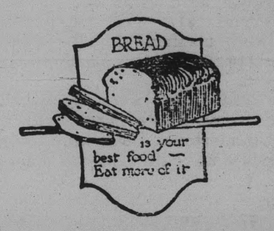
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NEWS, COMMENT AND FIGURES

Chicago, August 11.

Corn furnished the surprise of the past week in grain trading. With government figures pointing to 40,000,000 bushels less production of corn in the United States this year than the average of private estimates had indicated, the market continued its record-breaking advance in the face of setbacks for wheat. Compared with a week ago, corn prices were 2⅜c to 5⅞c higher, with wheat 1⅛c to 1¾c up, and provisions showing 15c to 27c gain.

It had been assumed in many quarters that with better weather improvement of the corn crop conditions during July was so pronounced as to imply 120,000,000 bushels' increased yield over the total which at the beginning of July was looked for. Nevertheless, demand for corn appeared at times to be insatiable and the market rose to 13c a bushel above the previous week low point.

Announcement from Washington that the condition of the corn crop is the lowest since 1911 and relatively worse instead of better than a month ago led to new sharp upturns in the price of corn as the week drew to an end. Meanwhile rains delaying the oats harvest gave strength to the oats market despite government figures showing that the probable yield of oats had been much increased.

Wheat eased down owing largely to anticipation of the favorable showing of the government report as to a big domestic crop of wheat.

Provisions derived their strength chiefly from the action of the corn market.

San Francisco, Aug. 11.

LIVE STOCK — Hogs: For week, generally steady; most concerns buying; good hard grain fed 180-200-lb. Californias, $11, with 230-lb. butchers, $10; medium 150-170-lb. butchers, $10.25@10.50; packing sows, $7.50@8.

CATTLE: For week, good grades scarce, some inquiry, practically none here, undertone weak on medium, common and cutter steers, quotable tops, 8; nothing within 25c; best grassers, $7.75; bulk under 1,050 lbs. under $7.50; numerous loads, $7@7.25; other straight medium, $6.75@7; commission and packer directs plentiful. Good cows steady, few loads 1,100 lbs., $5@5.25; most 1,000 lbs. around $4.75@5; packers directs and others plentiful; weak; little interest. Bulls steady, few here, mostly $3.50. Calves Choice under 200 lbs. quotable $8, none noted, few loads good 230-lb., $7.50; bulk, light or common or heavy calves, latter kinds on commission; estimated $5.50@6.

SHEEP: Lambs, steady to strong on good and choice grades, bulk arrivals 40 per cent feeders, selling at demoralized prices. Good 68-lb lambs, $10; 10 decks 62-lb., $9.75; few loads good 115-lb. ewes, $4.50; good 90-lb. yearlings, $6.50; middle western markets displaying interest in California feeding lambs and breeding ewes.

HAY: Receipts continue light with no life in the market here and the general tendency is slightly weaker.

Interior trading has been a little more active and generally distributed, but total volume is rather light. Farmers are selling rather than storing, and during the last week have been inclined to lower their asking prices a little in order to begin moving out of the field.

Export and coast shipping have been particularly light and slow.

GRAIN AND MILLFEEDS: Millfeed market continues strong and active, with the demand good and arrivals light. General tendency seems to be toward further advance in all wheat feeds. Oats and corn are strong and very light in stock. Barley is unchanged, but with a strong undercurrent. Alfalfa meal is higher and in stronger demand than for some time. Cocoanut meal advanced a couple of dollars per ton, with the demand in excess of the supply

BUTTER: A firm market developed in San Francisco during the week and prices on all qualities advanced. The top scores sold 2@2½c higher. Medium and undergrades advanced only ¾@1½c. Receipts were quite heavy but included large shipments from Washington and Montana, and the per cent of fancy butter was noticeably lighter. While receivers who had butter to sell were holding out for higher prices, many dealers do not consider the market firm, especially on medium and lower scores. Storage holdings hold around 1,000,000 lbs. heavier than last year, and eastern markets are 3@4c lower than local prices. Los Angeles closed at 42c, San Francisco at 40¾c.

VEGETABLES: In the vegetable markets business was generally dull. Tomatoes were heavy and inclined to sag. Green corn was the bright spot in the vegetable market; prices were higher. Lima beans were in heavy supply from the south and prices slumped from 6 to 8c per pound.

GRAPES: The grape market was very weak due to the arrival of heavier shipments of most table varieties. Peaches, pears, plums and figs were easy.

Classified Advertising

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FOR SALE—A number of oil paintings and other objets d' art. Mrs. Clara M. Lawrence, Dal Poggetto Bldg., Sonoma, Calif. 52 tfc

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FOR SALE—Buick coupe in first class condition. Apply Bear Flag Garage, Sonoma. 49 tfc

FOR SALE—At a bargain, on account of sickness, a beautiful villa home, two furnished cottages, nice garden, shade trees, etc. Will sell as a whole, or part; cash or terms. C. Krecker, Fetters Springs. 49 4c

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FOR RENT—5 room bungalow, on corner, all improvements and built-in features. Sam Sebastiani. 28 tfc

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WANTED—Job plumbing or other work, by hour or day. Edwin L. Zeigler, Sonoma, Calif. 52 1tp

WANTED—Prunes for drying. John L. Fox ranch, on Napa highway, off Broadway. 48 tfc

WANTED—300 feet of ½-inch pipe; 300 feet of ¾-inch pipe. P. O. Box I El Verano, or phone 3-F-3. 41 tf

WANTED—Well digging. I also build reservoirs. A. Calufetti, well digger and cleaner. No. 131 Germany St., Sonoma. 30-45-tf

WANTED—Carpenter wants work, repairs etc. Phone 27-F-12 or write A. West, P.O. Box 74 El Verano 46

MISCELLANEOUS

FLUFF RUGS—Made from old carpets and rags. Representative will be in Sonoma on Tuesday of each week. Address Box H, Sonoma, Calif. 52 4tp

TO LET—House of five rooms and bath. T. F. Monahan, First Street West, Sonoma. 49 tfc

LOST

LOST OR STRAYED—Red cow. Notify Francheski or this office. 50f

FOUND

FOUND—Bifocal eye glasses in case. Owner may have same by paying for this ad and proving property. Apply this office. 51 tfc

Mrs. John Maurel has been enjoying a pleasant visit of several days in San Francisco, taking in points of interest including the Golden Gate Park with its great aquarium and museum.

NOTICE INVITING BIDS

Sealed bids will be received by the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the Flowery School District, Agua Caliente, Sonoma County, California, at his office until 12:00 o'clock, noon, August 16, 1924 and will be publicly opened at 1:30, for the construction of a Manual Training, Garage and Stable Building.

Plans and specifications for this work are on file in the office of J. P. Serres, Clerk of the Board of school trustees, which bidders are hereby refered to

By order of the Board of Trustees of Flowery School District, Agua Caliente, California.

J. P. SERRES, Clerk. 50-52

WARNING

Notice is hereby given that it is unlawful to use the Sonoma City Dumping Grounds for the disposal of any garbage obtained from outside the City limits and any offenders will be prosecuted to the full extent of the law.

By Order Sonoma City Trustees.

SAVE WATER

The State Board of Forestry and State Fire Marshals' Bureau warns that water must be conserved.

We have been requested by the above to ask everyone and especially our consumers, to save water.

See that you have no leaky plumbing fixtures or faucets. Any waste of water through unnecessary watering of gardens is to be discouraged.

R. R. EMPARAN,
Sonoma City Water Works.
—adv.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Estate of FELIPPO PAPINA, also known as FILIPPO PAPINA, also known as FILIPO PAPINA, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned Marguerite Papina, executrix of the will of the above named deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to file them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the firfist publication of this notice, in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Sonoma, or to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix, at the office of A. R. Grinstead, attorney-at-law, Poppe Building, in the Town of Sonoma, Sonoma County, California, the same being her place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the County of Sonoma, State of California.

MARGUERITE PAPINA,
Executrix of the Will and Estate of said Felippo Papina, Deceased.

Dated at Sonoma, California, August 8, 1924.

S. G. Thompson and
A. R. Grinstead,
Attorneys for the Estate.

First publication August 16, 1924.

REHERSALS BEGIN FOR REDWOOD PAGEANT

Rehearsals for the Sonoma Valley contribution to the beautiful Redwood Pageant to be given at Armstrong Woods on Labor Day, September 2, at 1 p. m., have begun here.

Tonight all Indian boys and maidens, Russians and padres who appeared in the Mission Play are urged to attend a rehearsal of this episode.

On Monday, August 18th, the wedding fiesta scene is to be gone through and all who participated in this or would be willing to participate in the latest production are invited to be at the club house at 8 p. m.

Tuesday night the Bear Flag episode participants will meet.

There will be no speaking parts. Pure pageantry, with music, will prevail.

Roads to the Armstrong Grove will be completed by September 2nd, and seats at the play will be along the hillside in amphitheatre style.

VINEBURG ITEMS

Guests at John Batto Residence

Miss Mary Figone of San Francisco spent the week end as the guest of Miss Norma Figone. Miss Rasori was also a guest, and the girls presented an interesting trio as they motored and enjoyed the various outdoor sports in the Valley of the Moon

Herschel Hyde ,son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hyde, returned to U. C at Berkeley last Wednesday.

Miss Doris Hobbs, niece of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillett, after a two weeks' visit at their cozy home in the Hyde Tract, returned to her San Francisco home Thursday.

Mrs. Fred Batto and son are the guests of friends in the bay cities this week.

Albert Groskopf and Charles Banchero motored to Santa Rosa Sunday and attended the base ball game.

August Figone of San Francisco and Fred Batto, Jr., are now on a deer hunt near the coast.

The many friends of Miss Ruth Allen, who has been seriously ill for several days, will be glad to hear that this popular young lady is now recovering nicely.

Mrs. Albert Groskopf was the guest of honor at an elaborate dinner tendered her on her birthday by relatives and friends on August 14th, at the home of Fred Batto. About 20 guests were present.

SONOMA ELKS JOINED IN MEETING AT SANTA ROSA

The joint meeting of Santa Rosa and Napa Elks was joined in by the Sonoma members of the antlered herd. The special S. P. train bearing the good fellows from Napa stopped at El Verano and Eldridge and took on a cargo of the Valley of the Moon brethren. Among those who went were Roy Johnson, Emmet Mullen, Shirley Weise, Irving Shepard, Tom Corcoran, O. Maffei, S. A. Robinson, Messrs. Bennett, Sassenrath and a number of others.

Mrs. Jack Smith (Lenora Burke) and party of friends from San Francisco passed through here this week and greeted old friends.

Charles Bain and his wife, who underwent recent operations, were down from their mountain ranch last Thursday and are evidently making splendid progress toward recovery since leaving the hospital in Santa Rosa.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the firm of Dresel & Robinson will dissolve partnership, effective August 20, 1924. All outstanding bills must be presented on or before September 10, 1924.

DRESEL & ROBINSON.

NOTICE TO PUBLIC

J. T. Colford having severed his connection with the Boyes Springs Meat Market, the undersigned will not be responsible for any bills or debts contracted by him.

Dated August 15, 1924.

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Primary Election August 26th

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